

**KENTON COUNTY AIRPORT BOARD
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
FIRE ALARM DEVICE & PANEL UPGRADES (#24-60RFP)**

Pursuant to the provisions of KRS 424.260, the Kenton County Airport Board (Owner) will receive competitive sealed proposals for the **Fire Alarm Device & Panel Upgrades** project at the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport (Airport) located in Boone County, Kentucky (the "Project"). Proposals will be received no later than **August 8, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. ET**. No proposals will be accepted after that time unless extended pursuant to an addendum issued by the Owner.

The Project includes the upgrade of the existing software, servers and panels (reference Attachment A) including two servers, 7 UL workstations, graphics, and network equipment of the fire alarm system at CVG. This upgrade will include technician labor, engineering, project management and on-going annual support. As an alternate with the device and panel upgrades, Owner is accepting proposals to provide all necessary design, engineering, software, hardware, equipment, interfaces, connectivity, testing, training, manuals, documentation, consulting services, materials, tools, labor, and support required for replacement of additional fire panels and network switches in compliance with NFPA-72. This upgrade will include technician labor, engineering, project management and on-going annual support. Further detail and copies of the bidding documents may be downloaded from <http://www.cvgairport.com/bids> under "PlanetBids Registration & Login".

A Pre-Bid meeting and site visit will be held July 25, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. **ET**, at Facilities Maintenance Building, 100 Maintenance Court, Hebron, KY 41048. Please RSVP by July 24, 2024 through KCAB's online bidding system which can be accessed at <http://www.cvgairport.com/bids> under "PlanetBids Registration & Login". Select Invitation #24-60RFP and provide the name of the person(s) attending.

In accordance with 49 CFR Part 26, bidders shall use good faith efforts to include DBE participation. Bidders must comply with Executive Order 11246-Affirmative Action and Equal Employment Opportunities; and must adhere to the provisions of: 49 CFR Part 30 – Foreign Trade Restrictions; 49 USC 50101 - Buy American Preference; the Davis-Bacon Requirements; 49 CFR Part 29 – Certification Regarding Debarment and Suspension; 41 CFR § 60-1.8 – Nonsegregated Facilities Requirement; drug-free workplace requirements, and all other federal grant requirements included within the Bidding and Contract Documents.

The Owner in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. §§ 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin (including limited English proficiency), creed, sex (including sexual orientation and gender identity), age, or disability in consideration for an award.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality or irregularity in any bid or bid guaranty, to reject any or all bids, to award or refrain from awarding a contract for the work, and to negotiate with the apparent qualified responsible bidder to such extent as may be beneficial to the Owner.

Further information and copies of the Invitation to Bid (ITB) may be downloaded from <http://www.cvgairport.com/bids> - PlanetBids Registration & Login.

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